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## FISCAL IMPACT REPORT

SPONSOR Gardner ORIGINAL DATE 2/1/06  
LAST UPDATED \_\_\_\_\_ HB 737  
SHORT TITLE Fifth Judicial District Methamphetamine Program SB \_\_\_\_\_  
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### APPROPRIATION (dollars in thousands)

Appropriation		Recurring or Non-Rec	Fund Affected
FY06	FY07		
	\$50.0	Recurring	General Fund

(Parenthesis ( ) Indicate Expenditure Decreases)

Duplicates, Relates to, Conflicts with, Companion to

### SOURCES OF INFORMATION

LFC Files

#### Responses Received From

Administrative Office of the Courts

### SUMMARY

#### Synopsis of Bill

House Bill 737, "Fifth Judicial District Methamphetamine Program" appropriates \$50,000 from the general fund to the Administrative Office of the Courts for the purpose of providing funding for a methamphetamine drug education program in the 5<sup>th</sup> Judicial District.

### FISCAL IMPLICATIONS

The appropriation of \$50,000 contained in this bill is a recurring expense to the general fund. Any unexpended or unencumbered balance remaining at the end of fiscal year 2007 shall revert to the general fund.

AOC suggests that the appropriation should rather be made to the 5<sup>th</sup> judicial district attorney or Administrative Office of the District Attorneys.

**SIGNIFICANT ISSUES**

This bill is likely intended to make an appropriation to the 5<sup>th</sup> Judicial District Attorney. The Administrative Office of the Courts does not have methamphetamine education programs.

**TECHNICAL ISSUES**

AOC suggests amending “administrative office of the courts” on line 17 and replacing it with “fifth judicial district attorney.

**POSSIBLE QUESTIONS**

1. What is the intended purpose of this appropriation?
2. Who is intended to provide methamphetamine education and to whom?

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